

**IN THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**  
COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

21st day August, 2012

**PRESENT:**

**ABSENT:**

**RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_**

**RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING FAMILY CARE NETWORK INC'S 25 YEAR ANNIVERSARY**

The following resolution is hereby offered and read:

**WHEREAS**, Family Care Network, Inc. was founded in 1987, and since then has certified over 285 foster families and served almost 9,500 children, youth and families; and

**WHEREAS**, Family Care Network, Inc. currently serves an average of 400-500 children, youth and families per month, and 1000-1200 per year through 17 programs, ranging from intensive therapeutic foster care to school-based services; and

**WHEREAS**, Family Care Network Inc. was one of the first agencies in California to provide Intensive Therapeutic Foster Care (1998), Wraparound Services (2000), Therapeutic Behavioral Services (1999), and to be licensed as a Transitional Housing Placement Provider (1999); and

**WHEREAS**, Family Care Network Inc. has benefitted from the help of over 4,400 volunteers and over 570 mentors and interns; and has developed strategic partnerships with 65 local businesses and nearly 50 county and community-based agencies; and

**WHEREAS**, Family Care Network Inc. has successfully raised public awareness of the needs of foster and special-needs children and youth, at the local, state and federal level, and has striven for the fulfillment of their wellbeing, through advocacy and dedicated professional work; and

**WHEREAS**, Family Care Network Inc. was an original partner in the development of the Children's Services Network for the County of San Luis Obispo; and

**WHEREAS**, Family Care Network Inc., along with Social Services, Mental Health, Probation, and the school districts has helped reduce the number of children placed in out-of-county group homes by 70%; and

**WHEREAS**, Family Care Network Inc., together with the Department of Social Services, established a County program assisting transitional age foster youth to reach their goals of furthering their education by attending college and/or vocational programs; and

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED** by the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Luis Obispo, State of California does hereby honor Family Care Network for their 25 years of service to our community. Their commitment and dedication has been instrumental in ensuring permanency and well-being for the youth in our care.

Upon motion of Supervisor \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by Supervisor \_\_\_\_\_, and on the following roll call, to wit:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAINING:

the foregoing resolution is hereby adopted.

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Chairperson of the Board of Supervisors

ATTEST :

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Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

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Dated: